

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE ART UNIT 1802

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Serial No.:

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Group Art Unit:

1802

Filed:

June 7, 1995

Examiner:

V. Ryan

For:

Sir:

RECOMBINANT BACTERIAL VACCINE SYSTEM WITH

ENVIRONMENTALLY LIMITED VIABILITY

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

DO Not Exter 5/6/96

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on December 23, 1997, please amend the application as follows. Filed with this response is a Petition For Extension Of Time, along

with the required fee, to extend the period for response for one month, up to and including

April 23, 1998. It is believed that no additional fee is due with this response. However,

should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any

additional fees to Deposit Account No. 01-2507.